

Remarks

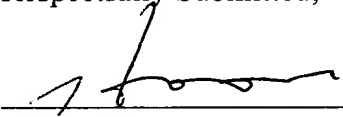
In the Office Action, it is required that a single species of bupropion metabolites be elected. Applicants provisionally elect, with traverse, (S,S)-2-(3-chlorophenyl)-2-hydroxy-3,5,5-trimethyl-morpholinol. However, Applicants respectfully submit that other species should also be examined since a single search directed to the term "bupropion metabolites" would necessarily encompass all of the bupropion metabolites recited by the pending claims.

It is further required in the Office Action that a single species of affective disorders be also elected. Applicants provisionally elect, with traverse, an anxiety disorder. However, Applicants respectfully submit that other species should also be examined since a single search directed to the term "affective disorders" would necessarily encompass all of the disorders recited by the pending claims.

No fee is believed to be due for this submission. However, should any fees be required for the submission of this paper, or to avoid abandonment of this application, please charge such fees to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 503013.

Respectfully Submitted,

Date: November 16, 2005



Hoon Choi (Ltd. Recog. No.) L0209
Jones Day
51 Louisiana Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20001-2113
(202) 879-3939

For: Anthony M. Insogna (Reg. No. 35,203)
Jones Day
12750 High Bluff Drive, Suite 300
San Diego, CA 92130
(858) 314-1200